



# Clark County Department of Building & Fire Prevention

## Building Division – Inspection Services

### Field Inspection Guideline

<b>SUBJECT:</b>	<b>Protection of PVC\ABS Piping</b>	<b>FIG-P-035</b>		
<b>Effective Date:</b>	<b>March 18, 1994</b>	<b>Revised: April 11, 2007</b>	<b>Approved By:</b>	<b>GJF</b>
<b>Code Chapter:</b>	<b>2006 UPC Section IS 8, 2.4.4</b>			<b>Page 1 of 1</b>

**Interpretation:**

Section IS 8, 2.4.4 of the Plumbing Code states the requirements for protection of plastic piping from UV ray damage. Additionally, all plastic piping material exposed to direct sunlight shall be protected.

**Field Application:**

All PVC\ABS piping exposed to direct sunlight shall be protected by wrapping the pipe with a minimum of .040 inch of tape, or otherwise protected from deterioration from UV ray exposure.